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Professor Ananish Chaudhuri

Ananish Chaudhuri works in the area of experimental economics, which uses economic decision-making experiments with paid volunteers to understand how people behave in situations involving strategic decisions. In 2009, his research was published in two A* journals, the Economic Journal and the Journal of Public Economics, and two A-level journals, Experimental Economics and Southern Economic Journal. In addition, Routledge published his book, Experiments in Economics: Playing Fair with Money. This book provides a guide to economic experiments and specifically those that explore notions of fairness, altruism and trust in economic transactions. It is receiving outstanding reviews, particularly for communicating complex economic ideas to a wider audience. Ananish is the editor-in-chief of New Zealand Economic Papers and is the associate editor of the Journal of Economic Psychology.